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Chair for Social Events/Public Relations for the USS Beloit Commissioning Committee

USS Beloit to Commission Saturday, Nov. 23 at Veterans Park

Nov. 18, 2024 – The USS Beloit is being commissioned at 10am Saturday, November 23, 2024 at Veterans Park in Milwaukee. The entire community is invited to join the celebration!

We are sharing a few things to know about commissioning day!

Tickets

You can request tickets to the commissioning until Tuesday, November 19; tickets will be emailed to guests from the U.S. Navy. Request the free tickets at www.ussbeloit.org/events.

Tickets are non-transferable. A government-issued ID matching the name on the tickets will be required to get through security.

Parking

Parking in Veterans Park is limited to bus groups, law enforcement, and ADA. Park at the following garages for \$6-\$9/day (credit card only) and walk to Milwaukee Art Center for shuttle to/from ceremony. Or walk from the Art Center to the ceremony (15-minute walk).

- Museum Center Garage, 910 E. Michigan Street
- Couture Garage, 909 E. Michigan Street
- U.S. Bank Garage, 716 E. Clybourn Street

Post Commissioning Reception

Join the crew, their families, and other guests at a post-commissioning reception with a Made in Beloit/Made in Wisconsin celebration! This event is planned by the USS Beloit Commissioning Committee.

- Chili bar with donations from Hormel Chili and Fritos from FritoLay.
- Hot chocolate donated by Kerry Ingredients.
- Kwik Trip glazers donated by Kwik Trip.
- Cookies donated and made by Alto-Shaam in Menomonee Falls.
- Hot coffee made by Rise & Grind Coffee Haus.
- Soft drinks and waters served by Milwaukee County Parks Department.

Live music will be provided by Beloit band Nick & Friends. Thank you to Beloit Culver's for the donations of paper products

**Watch Party in Beloit**

Can't make it to Milwaukee? Join other residents with a watch party at Beloit Public Library, 605 Eclipse Blvd., starting at 9:45 am Saturday, Nov. 23. Snacks and refreshments will be available. *Cosponsored by the USS Beloit Commissioning Committee and Beloit Public Library.*

Live Stream

You can also watch the commissioning from the comfort of your home. Visit www.dvidshub.net/webcast/35146 to live stream the ceremony!

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